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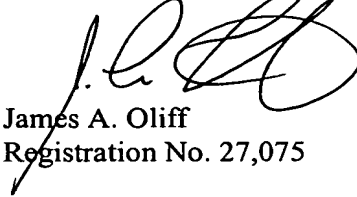
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- ☒ 2. The references were cited in a counterpart foreign application.
- ☒ 3. A concise explanation of the relevance of the non-English language references 1, 2, 4 and 5 appears in the Appendix attached hereto. The references are not numbered successively as reference no. 3 in the Appendix was submitted to the Patent Office on May 20, 2004 (para. 5 below).
- ☒ 4. A computer-generated English translation of the following Japanese reference(s) has been obtained from the website of the Japanese Patent Office ([<http://www.jpo.go.jp>]), and is attached, but has not been reviewed for accuracy. See References 4 and 5.

- ☒ 5. JP-A-54-39805 was previously submitted on May 20, 2004.

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